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**MAIL STOP PETITION  
PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: In re: Patent Application of :  
Ruey J. Yu, *et al.* : Examiner: Deirdre Claytor  
Appln. No.: 10/817,479 :  
Filed: April 2, 2004 : Group Art Unit: 1617  
For: TOPICAL TREATMENT OF DERMATOLOGICAL DISORDERS ASSOCIATED: :  
WITH REACTIVE OR DILATED BLOOD VESSELS : Confirmation No.: 2318  
: Attorney Docket No.: 8976-227U1

**DECLARATION OF RUEY J. YU THAT HE IS  
OVER 65 YEARS OF AGE IN SUPPORT OF PETITION TO MAKE  
SPECIAL BECAUSE OF APPLICANT'S AGE (37 CFR 1.102(c))**

I, Ruey J. Yu, hereby declare:

1. I am an Applicant of the above-identified patent application.
2. I declare that I am over 65 years of age. I am 74 years old, and was born on March 23, 1932.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

May 23, 2006  
Date

  
Signature

**Ruey J. Yu**  
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